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TAKAHIRO MORO, ET AL. )  
: Group Art Unit: 2624  
Appln. No.: 10/659,262 )  
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Filed: September 11, 2003 )  
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For: PRINTING CONTROL APPARATUS )  
AND METHOD FOR CHANGING A :  
SETTING BASED ON A CHANGE IN )  
ANOTHER SETTING (AS :  
AMENDED) ) January 27, 2006

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SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Sir:

Further to the Information Disclosure Statement filed September 11, 2003, in compliance with the duty of disclosure under 37 CFR 1.56 and in accordance with the practice under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98, the Examiner's attention is directed to the documents listed on the enclosed Form PTO-1449. Copies of the foreign documents are also enclosed.

JP ' 958, JP ' 871, JP ' 715 and JP ' 141 were cited in an Office Action in a corresponding Japanese application. A copy of the Japanese Office Action is also included for the Examiner's convenience.

JP '715 corresponds to US '242, and JP '958 corresponds to US '929. JP '871 and JP '141 may be relevant for the reasons summarized in the respective English abstracts.

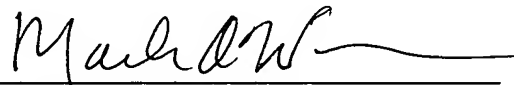
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Each item of information in this information disclosure statement was first cited in any communication from a foreign Patent Office in a counterpart foreign application not more than three months prior to the filing date of this Statement.

It is respectfully requested that the above information be considered by the Examiner and that a copy of the enclosed Form PTO-1449 be returned indicating that such information has been considered.

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## U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS

*EXAMINER'S INITIAL	DOCUMENT NUMBER	DATE	NAME	CLASS	SUBCLASS	FILING DATE IF APPROPRIATE
	<b>5,049,929</b>	<b>09/1991</b>	<b>Anderson et al.</b>			
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## FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS

DOCUMENT NUMBER	DATE	COUNTRY	CLASS	SUBCLASS	TRANSLATION YES/NO/ OR ABSTRACT
<b>3-181958</b>	<b>08/1991</b>	<b>Japan</b>			<b>Abstract</b>
<b>4-251871</b>	<b>09/1992</b>	<b>Japan</b>			<b>Abstract</b>
<b>8-25715</b>	<b>01/1996</b>	<b>Japan</b>			<b>Abstract</b>
<b>8-34141</b>	<b>02/1996</b>	<b>Japan</b>			<b>Abstract</b>

## OTHER DOCUMENT(S) (Including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, Etc.)


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